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For: **COMBINATORIAL CHEMICAL SYNTHESIS****AMENDMENT**

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**INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

In response to the Office Action of August 24, 2005, and in accordance with the automatic extension of time for response provided by 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), amendment to the above-identified patent application is requested.

The present amendment comprises the following sections:

- A. Amendments to the Claims
- B. Remarks

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